

Bluestone Dam Functional Exercise

Simulation Cell (SIMCELL) Requirements

Position#	SIMCELL Role	Position	Experience
1	Higher Control (HICON)	Federal/State Executive Level Agency Role Player	NIMS/ICS Experience and/or Knowledge of Federal/State Executive Level Agency roles and responsibilities in disaster response and management.
2	HICON	Federal/State Executive Agency Role Player	NIMS/ICS Experience and/or Knowledge of Federal/State Executive Level Agency roles and responsibilities in disaster response and management.
3	HICON	USACE Huntington District Role Player	U.S Army Corps of Engineer Huntington District Staff.
4	HICON	Industry Role Player	Experience and/or Knowledge of Industry (Chemical, Manufacturing, etc.) activities, roles and responsibilities in disaster response, and impact on the private sector.
5	Lower Control (LOCON)	Local Level Government / Entity Role Player – Kanawha County	NIMS/ICS Experience and/or Knowledge of County/Local Level Agency roles and responsibilities in disaster response and management.
6	LOCON	Local Level Government / Entity Role Player – Putnam County	NIMS/ICS Experience and/or Knowledge of County/Local Level Agency roles and responsibilities in disaster response and management.
7	LOCON	Local Level Government / Entity Role Player – Fayette County	NIMS/ICS Experience and/or Knowledge of County/Local Level Agency roles and responsibilities in disaster response and management.
8	LOCON	Local Level Government / Entity Role Player – Mason County	NIMS/ICS Experience and/or Knowledge of County/Local Level Agency roles and responsibilities in disaster response and management.
9	LOCON	Local Level Government / Entity Role Player – Summers/ Raleigh Counties	NIMS/ICS Experience and/or Knowledge of County/Local Level Agency roles and responsibilities in disaster response and management.
10	LOCON	Supporting Counties Role Player – Regions 2/3/4	NIMS/ICS Experience and/or Knowledge of County/Local Level Agency roles and responsibilities in disaster response and management.
11	LOCON	Supporting Counties Role Player – Regions 1/5/6	NIMS/ICS Experience and/or Knowledge of County/Local Level Agency roles and responsibilities in disaster response and management.

The exercise Simulator / Role Player provides the interface between nonparticipating real-world organizations or people and the exercise players. Simulators will carry out their responsibilities by responding to player queries directed to non-playing entities.

The exercise simulator emulates actions that direct non-player entity units, personnel, or resource deployments that result in simulated movement during the exercise in real time in order to achieve an exercise objective.

Simulators will represent non-playing entities such as Emergency Management, First Responder, Government and Non-Government entities and will answer any player queries directed at these non-participants.

Definitions:

- HICON (Higher Control): Simulate non-participating Federal/State Executive Level Agencies such as FEMA, DHS, Office of the Governor, and other State agencies.
- LOCON (Lower Control) Local Level Government / Entity Role Player: Simulate non-participating Local Level Government / Entities within a specified County or Counties such as City Government, Hospitals, Nursing Homes, Assisted Care Facilities, Volunteer Fire Departments, Non-Government Organizations, Civic entities.
- LOCON (Lower Control) Supporting Counties Role Player: Simulate non-participating County Emergency Management Agencies for a specified Region or Regions.

1. The SIMCELL will be located at the Joint Interagency Training and Education Center (JITEC), St. Albans Armory. SIMCELL support personnel will receive travel reimbursement from State exercise funds for required expenses.

2. SIMCELL support personnel will receive training on the Exercise Plan, the Master Scenario Event List (MSEL), exercise scenario information, and E-TEAM training prior to the exercise. SIMCELL support personnel will additionally conduct a rehearsal of the exercise the day prior to the event. Personnel will be integrated into the SIMCELL and under the supervision of JITEC Exercise Control Staff.

3. SIMCELL support personnel must be available for a 3 day period per the following schedule:

Day1 – 14 June 2012	Day2 – 15 June 2012	Day 3 – 16 June 2012
?-1200 Travel to St. Albans Armory	0800-1100 SIMCELL Training	0700-1700 Functional Exercise
1200-1600 Communications Exercise / SIMCELL Training	1200-1600 Exercise Rehearsal	1700-? Travel to Home of Record

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